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Applicants: Paul R. Schimmel

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Pursuant to Public Law 97-247, Section 8, and 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) applicants herewith petition that the period for response to the Office Action mailed on January 26, 1994, in the above-identified application be extended for one (1) month, up to and including May 26, 1994. The appropriate small entity fee of \$55 for this extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.17 accompanies this petition together with applicants' response.

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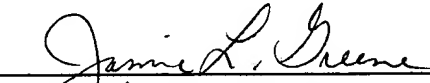
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If this fee is insufficient, please charge our Deposit Order Account No. 11-0855. To facilitate this process, applicants have enclosed a duplicate of this document.

Respectfully submitted,



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I hereby certify that this PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME and any documents referred to as attached therein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date, May 26, 1994, in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR § 1.10, Mailing Label Number TB278055217US addressed to Box FWC, Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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May 26, 1994